

March 4 1944

Mr Ed. Gottlieb
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Dear Gottlieb:

I am writing first of all to ask you to help me get my schedule straightened out. Pompez has agreed to go west with us for a couple weeks. Due to the fact we have no parks in the east June 11th, we decided to make the trip during that time. Now I had spoken to Tom about going south with us June 5, 6, 7, as we are in Baltimore Sunday the 4th, and scheduled in Philly the 8th.

June 4th Pompez is in Washington, and I thought if we could leave for the west out of Baltimore and Washington we could use our buses. I asked Saperstein if he could bring us out west through the south out of these two cities.

Do you think you could get Tom to change our dates in Philly, and give me June 1st and he take June 8th. The 1st would be much better for me anyway as we will be on our way to Baltimore. If Tom will agree to this change will you go south with him the 5, 6, 7, I have already spoken to Joe Lewis about the dates.

I told Saperstein not to book either of us for the 11th until after the 21st of May.

When will you let me know about the 16th of April to 22nd in the south?

Abe made a suggestion what do you think of it? It is to have the big names of the clubs on the buses taken off. We have to have the name of the owner painted on the side front but that is not so conspicuous. If you think it is a good idea let me know, and speak to Tom about it when you write him or talk to him.

Thanks for helping me out.

Very Truly Yours